REMARKS

Reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in light of the above amendments and the following remarks. Claims 1-20 were in the application and were the subject of a restriction requirement.

In response to the restriction requirement, Applicant elects to pursue the invention set forth in the claims in grouping I (claims 1-9 and 15-20), with traverse. Also in response to the restriction requirement, Applicant has canceled claims 10-14.

An early action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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